

ABSTRACT

10 D-Ribose is administered before and after general anaesthesia to reduce the time to recover from the effects of general anaesthesia. Preferably, pyrogen-free D-Ribose is administered intravenously during general anaesthesia and the interval post-anaesthesia before oral administration can be resumed. D-Glucose may be co-administered to reduce the effect of hypoglycemia that may be seen

15 with D-Ribose administration.